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TO AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR IMMEDIATE
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C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 083289

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SREF

SUBJECT: WCRP ACTIVITIES -- ROLAND

REF: STATE 80153

1. WHEN REFTEL SENT, DEPARTMENT WAS UNDER IMPRESSION THAT REFUGEES FROM ROLAND WERE TO BE ALLOWED TO REMAIN IN MALAYSIAN CAMPS UNDER UNHCR AUSPICES FOR FURTHER PROCESSING FOR RESETTLEMENT OUT OF MALAYSIA. WE UNDERSTAND FROM DAYAL, UNHCR/NEW YORK, THAT 195 ROLAND REFUGEES HAVE NOW BEEN SENT BACK TO ROLAND. IF TRUE, DEPARTMENT BELIEVES ARGUMENTATION PROVIDED RETEL APPLIES IN CASE OF MALAYSIA EVEN MORE STRONGLY THAN THAILAND. WE UNDERSTAND THAT GOM ALLOWED REFUGEES TO BOARD ROLAND AND MAY HAVE ABETTED THEM.

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ESPECIALLY, SINCE THIRD COUNTRIES HAVE BEEN ACTIVE IN TAKING REFUGEES FROM ROLAND, WE BELIEVE GOM SHOULD BE PREPARED RECEIVE THEM BACK ASHORE FOR PROCESSING.

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2. FOR KUALA LUMPUR: REQUEST AMBASSADOR APPROACH GOM AT APPROPRIATE SENIOR LEVELS AND, DRAWING UPON ARGUMENTATION CONTAINED REFTEL, URGE GOM COOPERATION IN

THIS MATTER.

3. FOR GENEVA: REQUEST US MISSION URGE UNHCR SUPPORT
THIS EFFORT IN BOTH KUALA LUMPUR AND BANGKOK. ALL
ADDRESSEES SHOULD NOTE THAT WE DO NOT PERCEIVE SPECIAL
US INTEREST OR OBLIGATION IN THIS PROBLEM. WE DO SEE,
HOWEVER, A DANGER TO THE OVERALL HUMANITARIAN EFFORT
TO ASSIST INDOCHINESE REFUGEES POSED BY THIS PROBLEM
WITH INEVITABILITY OF SPIRALING PUBLIC ATTENTION THE
LONGER A SOLUTION IS DELAYED. THIS IS NOT OBVIOUSLY
IN THE INTEREST OF ANY OF THE PARTIES CONCERNED WITH
THIS EFFORT, MOST PARTICULARLY INCLUDING THE GOVERNMENTS
OF MALAYSIA AND THAILAND.
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